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## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

G. KENNETH COULTER, JOHN SIEFKEN, GREGORY MAJOR, MICHAEL CHIEKO, ELI MOND, and JOHN SUDOLSKY, on behalf of themselves and all others similarly situated.

Plaintiffs,

-against-

MORGAN STANLEY & CO. INCORPORATED, MORGAN STANLEY, THE INVESTMENT COMMITTEE OF THE MORGAN STANLEY 401(k) PLAN, THE MORGAN STANLEY GLOBAL DIRECTOR OF HUMAN RESOURCES, JOHN J. MACK, KAREN JAMESLEY, WALID A. CHAMMAH, CHARLES CHASIN, JAMES P. GORMAN, ELLYN A. M¢COLGAN, MICHAEL J. PETRICK, MICHAEL RANKOWITZ, THOMAS C. SCHNEIDER, MICHAEL T. CUNNINGHAM, R. BRADFORD EVANS, KIRSTEN FELDMAN, EDMUND C. PUCKHABER, WILLIAM B. SMITH and JOHN DOE DEFENDANTS 1-10,

Defendants.

11 Civ. 1849 (DAB) (AJP)

STIPULATION AND PROPOSED ORDER STAYING PROCEEDINGS AND EXTENDING DEFENDANTS' TIME TO RESPOND TO THE COMPLAINT SINE DIE

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IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED, by and among the undersigned counsel, as follows:

WHEREAS, counsel for Defendants have agreed to accept service of the Complaint on behalf of Defendants:

WHEREAS, Defendants intend to move to dismiss this action for failure to state a claim and on other grounds;

WHEREAS, a decision of the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit is pending in Gray v. Citigroup, Inc., 09-3804-cv;

WHEREAS, the parties believe that such decision may affect the disposition of the claims asserted in this action;

WHEREAS, the parties have agreed to stay all proceedings in this action pending the decision in Gray v. Citigroup; and

WHEREAS, the parties are amenable to the coordination of this action with the related action of In re Morgan Stanley ERISA Litigation, No. 07 Civ. 11285 (DAB) (AJP) for discovery and other purposes following a decision in Gray v. Citigroup;

## THEREFORE,

- 1. All proceedings of any kind in the above-captioned action are hereby stayed pending the decision of the United States Court of Appeals for the Second Circuit in Gray v. Citigroup, Inc., 09-3804-cv;
- 2. Plaintiffs reserve their right to amend the Complaint following the decision by the Second Circuit in Gray v. Citigroup;
- 3. Defendants' time to answer, move or otherwise respond to the Complaint in this action is extended sine die pending further Order of the Court or agreement of the parties; and
- Defendants reserve their right to seek consolidation of the present action with In re Morgan Stanley ERISA Litigation, No. 07 Civ. 11285 (DAB) (AJP), and to assert any and all defenses.

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